

A Stated Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar was held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, 51 Boylston Street, on Wednesday, January 16, 1957 opening promptly at 5.45 P.M. with all officers present except the Warden who was excused due to illness.

After the customary devotions the records of our December 19, 1956 Conclave were read and approved.

Favorable action was taken on motion by the Recorder to remit 1957 dues of Anthony S. Ciccone now in service with the United States Navy.

The following Companions received a favorable ballot to receive the Orders:

Otto K. Smith
Theron L. Beattie
Richard H. Davis
Gregory Najarian

Elmer E. Chase
Raymond P. Conley
John N. Harris
Frederick S. Robertson Jr.

Required Dispensation was reported as granted to permit ballot on Companions Conley, Harris, and Robertson Jr.; necessary Releases of Jurisdiction are on file for Companions Kunath, Beattie, Chase, and Harris.

The Eminent Commander announced that through courtesy of Coeur de Lion Commandery the following Sir Knights of Boston Commandery were knighted on January 15, 1957:

William Lester Allen

Laurance H. Sparks

The Recorder reported the receipt of official notice from the Second-Bank -State Street Trust Company that under the will of our late Sir Knight Payson C. Francis of Ludlow, Vermont, who died on November 19, 1956, Boston Commandery is to receive a bequest of \$1000 on termination of a residuary trust which ends upon the death of our frater's widow.

The Commandery was thereupon opened on the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and the Sir Knights adjourned to dinner and entertainment.

Following same the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross under the direction of Eminent Sir James C. Bayley, in full form with the able assistance of Sir Knight Howard L. MacOdrum, was worked on the following Companions:

Gustaf R. Anderson
George R. Nelson
Christopher J. Soris
Otto K. Kunath
Theron L. Beattie

Richard J. Tabeling
Richard Harry Davis
Raymond P. Conley
Gregory Najarian
Frederick S. Robertson

The Commandery was then opened on the Order of Malta which was thereupon received by the above ten Companions under the direction of Sir Knight George Locus, Captain General.

After customary devotions the Eminent Commandery closed the Commandery in short form. Attendance: 91 loyal Sir Knights of Boston Commandery despite the coldest weather in Boston in over 12 years and weather forecasts of a severe snowstorm, which however, fortunately failed to develop.

Robert Gardiner Wilson
R. Wilson

Attendance: 91

A regular Stated Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar was opened by the Eminent Commander at 5.08 P.M. on Wednesday, February 20, 1957 in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston with all officers present except the Junior Warden. After the customary devotions, the minutes of the Conclave held on January 16, 1957 were read and approved.

The following applications for the Orders were read, and after congratulations to Eminent Sir James C. Bayley, his membership committee, and Sir Knights of Boston Commandery, on this evidence of aroused interest in the continued strength and growth of our Commandery, the Companions were duly elected by ballot as follows:

Carl B. Turner of Wellesley sponsored by Em. Sirs R. G. Wilson Jr. and F. B. Ells; Charles S. Christopher of Brookline, Charles E. Jiaras of Jamaica Pl., George G. Mirageos of Jamaica Pl., Peter Agris of Cambridge, sponsored by Sir Knights C.J. Wilkens & S. Ladas; Christie P. Peidikas of Boston sponsored by Sir Knights V. Ladas & C.J. Wilkens; Theodore S. Bakas of Boston sponsored by V. Ladas & J. Reid David H. Buttrick Jr. of Arlington, Henry O. Lance of Arlington, & Donald H. Wentworth of Arlington, sponsored by Sir Kts. E.A. Richards & E.W. Crawford; Claude M. Sweet of Arlington sponsored by W.A. McSorley Jr. & C.D. Harrington; William H. Brock of Wakefield & Edward P. Brock Jr. of Melrose, sponsored by Sir Kts. E.B. Brock & H. B. Leggee; Richard D. Chausse of West Roxbury sponsored by Sir Kts. R.G. Wilson Jr. & E.W. Zepp; Joseph Eagleston of Stoneham sponsored by Sir Kts. C.W. Skinner & H.E. Castellon; and Charles W. Linscott of Stoneham sponsored by Sir Kts. F.P. Linscott & J.C. Bayley; also Sir Knight Francis A. Cassis for affiliation from Cambridge Commandery sponsored by Sir Knight W. L. Nourse.

The Recorder then reported the opportunity for rapid advancement in the York Rite due to special George A. Weeks Class for York Rite candidates according to the following schedule arranged at Masonic Apartments, 584 Columbia Rd., Upham's Corner, Dorchester: Saturday, March 9 the Mark & Past Master Degrees worked by Newton Royal Arch Chapter at 1.30 P.M. On Monday March 11 the Royal Arch Degree by St. Matthews Chapter; on Saturday March 16 at 2.30 P.M. the Illustrius Order of the Red Cross by Gethsemane Commandery immediately followed by the Order of Malta worked by Hugh de Payens Commandery; and on March 18, a holiday, at 5 P.M. the Order of the Temple by St. Omer Commandery of Dorchester.

On motion of the Recorder it was then voted that in accordance with Article XI, Section 8 of the By-Laws, the Recorder is directed to give notice to the following 16 Sir Knights, now over two years in arrears for dues, that final action will be taken on suspension at our June 19, 1957 conclave unless prior thereto a payment of dues has been received.

Sir Knights O. G. Brandon, C. J. Kostas, Lucyan Lada, J.A. Lutes, G. Muir 2nd, H. S. Reynolds, I. Rohrbacker, T. E. Sabby, J. W. Schaeffer, C. H. Seavey, O. Smith Jr., I. V. Stuart, G. J. Tallas, H. C. Tragakis, J. Tragakis, and B. J. Zedros.

At 5.35 P.M. the Eminent Commander instructed the officers to prepare for presentation of the Order of the Temple. In the absence of Sir Knight Frankland W. L. Miles, the office of Junior Warden was adequately filled by our Captain General, Sir Knight George Locus, and Eminent Sir John Reid acted as Captain General. The following were presented to receive the Order:

Ernest E. Lindberg	George H. Nelson
Harold A. Congdon Jr.	Christopher J. Soris
Charles A. Moore	Otto K. Kunath
John William Berquist	Theron L. Beattie
Lloyd E. Allen	Richard J. Tabeling
Louis S. Martone	Raymond P. Conley
Harry P. Northway Jr.	Frederick S. Robertson Jr.
Gustaf R. Anderson	Richard S. Davis
Gregory Najarian	

The Commandery recessed for dinner and entertainment at the customary hour, following which the Sir Knights reassembled in the asylum.

With appropriate remarks, Eminent James C. Bayley, in behalf of the Commandery, presented to our Junior Past Commander John Reid his well deserved jewel as a Past Commander of Boston Commandery, and in response Eminent Sir Reid expressed his deep appreciation.

The work was thereupon resumed and the above 17 Sir Knights were successively knighted.

Attendance 159
Attest

Robert Gardner Wilcox
Recorder

A regular Stated Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar was opened by the Eminent Commander at 4.35 P. M. on Wednesday, March 20, 1957, in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple Boston, with all officers present except the Warder, whose station on opening was filled by Sir Knight Roger Bates, and later by Eminent Sir Lorin Lewis.

After the customary devotions, the minutes of the Conclave held on February 20, 1957 were read and approved.

In addition to the names of Companion Donald S. Amsbury and Companion Russell D. Wass Jr., carried on the notice of this Conclave, the Recorder also read the application of Companion Horace G. Stewart, but it was voted that action on any and all pending applications be delayed until the April Conclave.

On motion of the Recorder the dues of Sir Knight Harold R. Bates, now of Buffalo, New York, were remitted for the year 1957, and dues having been received for 1956, it was voted to grant Sir Knight Bates the dimit earlier requested by him.

The Recorder reported that Sir Knights Elmer E. Chase, Claude M. Sweet, William H. Brock, Edward E. Brock Jr., and Richard D. Chausse, had reported in the asylum of St. Omer Commandery of Dorchester on Saturday, March 16, where these Boston Commandery applicants for the orders duly received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross exemplified in full form by Gethsemane Commandery and the Order of Malta exemplified by Hugh de Payens Commandery; and that thereafter on Monday, March 18 in Dorchester the above five Sir Knights received the Order of the Temple worked by St. Omer Commandery. Our own Eminent Sir James C. Bayley was present and assisted.

There being no other official business to be transacted the Commandery recessed until 5 P. M.

At 5 P. M. the Commandery re-assembled in Ionic Hall for the official reception of our inspecting officer Sir Clarence E. Booth, Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, who was announced by Eminent Sir John P. Widlund, Deputy Grand Warder. Our inspecting officer being graciously received and introduced by our Eminent Commander, in turn expressed his pleasure in being privileged to inspect Boston Commandery.

The official count was announced as follows: total members present 220; official suite 30; visitors (exclusive of the suite) 13; a total of 263 Sir Knights present despite inclement weather and a four inch fall of snow and slush.

On completion of the work, which did not include the first four libations, our marking officer Eminent Sir Harold L. Burr announced the official mark as 9 plus. It might be fairly recorded that the work of the evening, while creditable, was by no means outstanding. Eminent Sir Lorin Lewis adequately filled the position of Warder as a substitute for Sir Knight Castellon who was absent. Our Junior past Commander Eminent Sir Reid deserved more than a passing word of credit for his patient and tireless rehearsal work with our new line of officers.

Included on the suite of our inspecting officer were two Past Grand Commanders George A. Weeks, and Harrie W. Taft; also the Deputy Grand Commander Dwight C. Page, Grand Generalissimo Alfred C. Blake; Grand Captain General Elliott N. Holley, with his Deputy Grand Warder Eminent Sir John J. Mick; Grand Junior Warden Raymond L. Hall; Grand Sentinel Clarence R. Davis; Commander of the 6'th Division Gilbert G. Machon; Commander of the 7'th Division Russell R. Long; and 19 other distinguished Templars including the Deputy Grand Commander and a Past Grand Commander of Maine.

Eminent Sir Booth brought the greetings of the Grand Commander; complimented Boston Commandery on our continued fine standing in New England Templary, and reminded the Sir Knights of Templar events scheduled for the balance of the year. Brief remarks were also made by Very Eminent Sir Dwight Page, following which the inspecting officer officially retired with his suite, and after appropriate devotions the Eminent Commander closed Boston Commandery at 9.30 P. M.

Attest:

R. H. Gardner, Kibby
R. L. Winder.

A regular Stated Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar was opened by the Eminent Commander promptly at 5.45 P.M. on Wednesday April 17, 1957, in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, with all officers present except the Warder whose station was filled by Eminent Sir James C. Bayley.

After customary devotions, the minutes of the Conclave held on March 20, 1957 were read and approved.

On motion of the Recorder, dimits were granted to Sir Knights Ralph S. Floyd now of Maine, and George A. Smith now of Brockton, Massachusetts.

The Recorder then read petitions for the Orders received from six Companions in addition to the five names carried on the notice. Dispensation having been duly received, the Sir Knights proceeded to ballot and the following were declared elected:

Donald S. Amsbary	James J. Kacavas
John W. Crosby	Arthur H. Staffon
Ralph E. Diamond	Horace G. Stewart
Howard L. MacOdrum Jr.	Albert G. Swide
Robert C. Olson	Russell D. Wass Jr.

The Eminent Commander read the following list of 9 Sir Knights reported within recent months to have been called to their reward above, and the Commandery was called to attention in silent tribute to these sorely missed gaps in the ranks of Templary:

Sir Kt. George R. Norcross of Dorchester, Born April 3 1874
Member of Putnam Lodge and St. Paul's Chapter
Knighted May 11, 1909
Died August 17, 1955

Sir Kt. Charles F. Stoodley of Malden. Born May 13, 1870
Member of St. John's Lodge & Dorchester Chapter
Knighted December 6, 1908
Died December 24, 1956

Sir Kt. George A. Surabian of Medford. Born Jan. 10, 1906
Member of Columbian Lodge and Mystic Chapter
Knighted May 18, 1949
Died January 2, 1957

Sir Kt. Roland Huxley of Boston. Born Nov. 4, 1882
Member of Zetland Lodge & St. Andrew's Chapter
Knighted Oct. 19, 1927
Died January 4, 1957

Sir Kt. Arthur D. Simonds of Malden. Born Sept. 23, 1872
Member of Baelbec Lodge & St. John's Chapter
Knighted February 8, 1923
Died Jan. 14, 1957

Sir Kt. Samuel L. Dillaway of Somerville. Born Dec. 16 1872
Member Soley Lodge & Somerville Chapter
Knighted May 16, 1923
Died February 26, 1957

Sir Kt. Andrew Kennedy of Hartsdale, N. Y. Born Jan 20 1894
Member Union Lodge and Dorchester Chapter
Knighted March 21, 1917
Died March 25, 1957

Sir Kt. Frank A. Lincoln of Wollaston. Born Oct. 25, 1875
Member of Wollaston Lodge & Mt. Wollaston Chapter
Knighted June 15, 1930
Died March 30, 1957

George W. Harvey, of Wellesley Hills, Born 6/15/1867
Member of St. John's Lodge and St. Andrews Chapter
Knighted 9/17/1897
Died April 14, 1957

There being no further business a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was duly opened and the Commandery recessed for dinner and entertainment at 6.07 P. M.

Following recess the Sir Knights again assembled in the asylum and the following 20 candidates received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross under the direction of Eminent Sir James C. Bayley:

Peter Agris	Howard L. MacOdrum Jr.
Donald S. Amsbary	George G. Mireageas
Theodore S. Bakas	Robert C. Olson
David H. Buttrick Jr.	Christie P. Perdikes
Charles S. Christopher	Cornelius J. Robinson
John W. Crosby	Arthur H. Staffon
Joseph Eagleston	Horace G. Stewart
Charles E. Jiaras	Carl B. Turner
Henry O. Lance	Russell D. Wass Jr.
Charles W. Linscott	Donald H. Wentworth

At the conclusion of the above work, the Council was duly closed and a Priory of Knights of Malta opened. The above 20 candidates thereupon received the Order of Malta under the direction of Sir Knight George Lucas, Captain General

Attendance: 150

Attend:

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A regular Stated Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar was opened by the Eminent Commander in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, on Wednesday, May 15, 1957 at 5:10 acting as Prelate and Em. Sir Lorin Lewis as Warder.

Following the customary devotions, the minutes of the April 17, 1957 Conclave were read and approved.

Proper dispensation having been received the following were elected by ballot to receive the Orders:

Harold A. Horn of Newtonville
Hazen L. Lambert of Boston
Wilfred R. Howarth of West Roxbury
Gibbs W. Sherrill of Beverly Farms

Also Sir Knight Earl C. Palmer of Avenal, New Jersey, for re-instatement after 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ years.

The necessary release of jurisdiction for Companion Sherrill was granted by Winslow Lewis Commandery of Salem.

There being no further business the Order of the Temple, through the years of warfare, was worked on the following 19 entitled:

Donald S. Amsbary	Howard L. MacOdrum Jr.
Theodore S. Bakas	George G. Mireageas
David H. Buttrick Jr.	Robert C. Olson
Charles S. Christopher	Christie P. Perdikes
John W. Crosby	Cornelius J. Robinson
Joseph Eagleston	Arthur H. Staffon
Charles E. Jiaras	Horace G. Stewart
Henry O. Lance	Carl B. Turner
Charles W. Linscott	Russell D. Wass Jr.
Donald H. Wentworth	

Following dinner and entertainment the Order of the Temple was completed.

Present 149

Attest:

R. H. Gardiner Libby

Recorder

A Special Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar was convened in the Armory, Masonic Temple, Boston, on Sunday, May 19, 1957 for the purpose of attending the Seventh Annual Protestant Laymen's Communion at Old South Church in Copley Square, and acting as escort in parade from Copley Square to Breakfast at Mechanics Building.

The Eminent Commander called the meeting to order at 6.30 A. M. after which special bus transported Sir Knights from the Temple to Old South Church in Copley Square where services were conducted by our own Associate Prelate Rev. Sir Frederick M. Meek pastor of the Old South Congregational Church. Marching behind Aleppo Temple Shrine Band the Sir Knights led by our Eminent Commander paraded from church to breakfast and a most impressive meeting at which the speaker was the Honorable Walter H. Judd, member of the Congress of the United States from Minnesota.

In attendance were Sir Knights Harrington, MacOdrum, Locus, R. G. Wilson Jr., Andrews, Bayley, Keough, Reid, Lewis, Crook, Zepp, Fischer, Skinner, Wilton, Bates, Der Garabedian, Nowers Casey, Roulston, Spargo, Brown, H. Robertson, Tyler, Hodgson Fogel, E. Robertson, Treco, Proodian, Shallna, Austin, Heminway, Thomas and Cederstrom.

A regrettable omission was failure by Laymen's Committee to include any reference to Boston Commandery of Knights Templar in advance publicity, or on the detailed printed program; also failure to list the Commander of Boston Commandery among the long list of 49 special guests as printed on the program; and finally the failure by the Committee to include the Commander of the Boston Commandery uniformed parade escort as a head table guest among those so designated on the program, and over half of whom were not even present.

Attest:

Rhett Gardner Wilson
R. M. Wilson

Stated Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar was held in Gothic Hall, Masonic Temple, on Wednesday, June 19, 1957. The Eminent Commander opened the Commandery at 5.45 P.M. with Sir Knight Roger E. Bates acting as Warder, and no Junior Warden was present.

After the customary devotions the records of our regular May 15, 1957 Conclave and also Special Conclave of May 19, 1957 were read and approved.

Proper Dispensation being on file, the following Companions were elected to receive the Orders:

Nelson Edward Bragg of 31 Chester St., Arlington
George Richard Pandy of 25 Shaw Rd., Belmont
George L. Jackimedes of 23 Mather St., Dorchester
Hovnam Keumurian of 75 Norfolk St., Cambridge

The following application for affiliation by dimit from Bethel Commandery #19 of Morris, Minnesota, was read and the following Sir Knight was elected to membership in Boston Commandery:

Leonard Arthur Thrall of 68 Marlborough St., Boston

The Recorder then reported requests had failed to result in payment of dues by the following nine Sir Knights, and due notice having been given in accordance with Templar law it was voted that the Sir Knights whose names were read, some of whom had also been earlier suspended by their respective Lodges or Chapters, be suspended:

Orville G. Brandon,	suspended by Tabernacle Chapter
	August 31, 1956
Touffee E. Sabby,	suspended by West Roxbury Lodge
	June 5, 1956
Byron J. Zedros,	suspended by Boston University Lodge
	June 22, 1956
Oscar Smith Jr.,	suspended by Belmont Chapter
	February 14, 1957
Edward J. Farow,	suspended by Winthrop Chapter
	November 22, 1956
Lucyan Lada,	
George J. Tallas	
Irving Rohrbacker	
George Muir 2nd	

The 156th Annual Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar was duly held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston on Wednesday, September 18, 1957.

Opened at 5.45 by the Eminent Commander, with all officers present except the Warder, the customary devotions were led by our Prelate. Sir Knight Roger Bates acted as Warder.

The minutes of our June 19, 1957 Conclave were read and approved.

A unanimous favorable ballot was taken on the application of Companion Donald B. Drew of Arlington to receive the orders.

Applications were read from Raymond L. Morrison and Horace A. Lyman of Beverly, Norton Wilson Cann of Dorchester, and Eric F. Smith of Lunenberg.

The Recorder commented on the severe loss suffered by the Commandery on the untimely and sudden death of Sir Knight Gibbs Sherrill of Beverly Farms only 60 days after his knighting on June 27th.

Eminent Sir Herman McStay moved that the customary \$250 be added to the Alfred C. Blake Fund towards the celebration of his expected election as Grand Commander in 1958, and the motion was passed unanimously.

The Recorder then read his Annual Report which was accepted and ordered spread on the records. It was noted that the membership of our Commandery, which reached 1526 in September of 1928, now numbers 1209,--a net loss of 21 for the year, and the first net loss in Boston Commandery membership in 13 years despite the fact that 50 Sir Knights were knighted during the year compared with 33 one year ago. Deaths reported during the past year totalled 35 as compared to 18 one year ago; dimits 22 as against 9; suspensions 21 as against 8. Three affiliations were reported and 4 reinstatements.

Official membership of Boston Commandery as of June 30, 1937 was 1063; as of June 30, 1944 was 776; as of June 30, 1956 was 1230,--the highest membership figure in 20 years.

The Commandery then listened to the excellent and detailed Annual Report by the Treasurer, which was accepted and ordered spread on the records. The grand total of all funds of the Commandery was reported as \$191,506.47 taken at cost, but with a market value of \$242,696.67 as of August 31, 1957. Our income from all funds was reported to be about \$9000 annually, or a yield of approximately 4.75 per cent.

The Sir Knights recessed for dinner and entertainment at 6.40 P.M. with 110 present.

Returning from the banquet hall after an excellent dinner and entertainment the Commandery then re-assembled at 8 P.M. to receive the report of the Nominating Committee composed of Eminent Sirs James S. W. Rogers, James C. Bayley and Robert G. Wilson Jr., and Sir Knights Clyde Tyler and Harold Hodgson.

There were no additional nominations. Printed ballots being distributed, the following, by separate written ballots were declared unanimously elected to their respective offices and accepted:

Eminent Sir Charles D. Harrington	Eminent Commander
Sir Kt. Howard L. Mac Odrum	Generalissimo
Sir Kt. George Locus	Captain General
Sir Kt. Robert S. Andrews	Senior Warden
Sir Kt. Frankland W. L. Miles	Junior Warden

Committees appointed alternately to distribute, sort, and count ballots were Eminent Sirs James S. W. Rogers, William Odell and John Reid; and Eminent Sir James C. Bayley, Sir Kts. G. D. Boynton, and H. Richter.

A Committee of all Past Commanders present, with the Guards as escort, presented our re-elected Eminent Commander into the asylum.

There being no objection, motion was unanimously carried that the remaining officers be elected by one ballot cast in behalf of the Commandery by Sir Knight Rowland D. Crook, and all officers were thereupon declared duly elected.

Officers elective and appointed were introduced into the asylum by Past Deputy Grand Warden Frank Brown Ells and successively duly installed by Right Eminent Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr.

Officers elected in addition to those already named above were the following:

Rev. Sir Charles E. Pedersen	Prelate
Em. Sir Frank B. Ells	Treasurer
Rt. Em. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr.	Recorder
Em. Sir James C. Bayley	Trustee of the Permanent Fund

The Eminent Commander announced appointments as follows:

Associate Prelates

Rev. Sir Edwin T. Anthony
Rev. Sir Roger P. Cleveland
Rev. Sir Dr. F. M. Meek
Em. Sir William A. Odell
Em. Sir James S. W. Rogers

Warder	Sir Kt. Gordon S. Borek
Standard Bearer	Sir Kt. Robert B. Wilton
Sword Bearer	Sir Kt. Gordon P. Luther
National Color Bearer	Sir Kt. Ralph L. Thomas
Beauseant Bearer	Sir Kt. Frederick S. Chapman
State Flag Bearer	Sir Kt. Roger E. Bates
Color Guards	Sir Kt. Giragos der Garabedian
Master of Ceremonies	Em Sir James C. Bayley
	Em Sir Alfred C. Blake
	Em Sir Wm. M. Heiligmann
	Em Sir Louis E. Lewis
	Em Sir Herman C. McStay
	Em Sir John Reid
Armorer	Sir Kt. John H. Paynter
Sentinel	Sir Kt. Emil W. K. Zepp
Quartermaster	Sir Kt. Harold H. Todd
Organist	Sir Kt. Harry E. Rogers
Chairman membership	Em. Sir James C. Bayley
Chairman Entertainment	Sir Kt. Gordon Seabury
Custodian of Candidates	Sir Kt. Winfield L. Nourse
Electrician	Sir Kt. Hilary C. Spaniack
Captain of the Guard	Sir Kt. Rowland D. Crook
Lt. of the Guard	Sir Kt. Frank S. Treco
and 18 official Guards and Escort as well as the official Red Cross Team of twenty.	

The Eminent Commander pledged an active year for Templary, urging the Sir Knights to make special effort in preventing further losses in membership. Presentation of appropriate gifts for the occasion were made by the Commander to the installing officers who thanked the Commandery for this further opportunity to participate in the initiation of a new year in the long history of Boston Commandery.

There being no further business, the Commandery was duly closed after the customary devotions.

R. A. Gardner Wilson
R. L. Under

Eminent Commander and Sir Knights:

The undersigned, appointed as Nominating Committee by the Eminent Commander, respectfully present the following nominees for 1957-1958:

For Eminent Commander	Em. Sir Charles D. Harrington
For Generallissimo	Sir Howard L. MacOdrum
For Captain General	Sir George Locus
For Senior Warden	Sir Robert S. Andrews
For Junior Warden	Sir Frankland W. L. Miles
For Prelate	Rev. Sir Charles E. Pedersen
For Treasurer	Em. Sir Frank B. Ells
For Recorder	Rt. Em. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr.
For Trustee of Permanent Fund	Em. Sir James C. Bayley

J.R.

John Reid

J.C.B.

James C. Bayley

C.T.

Clyde Tyler

H.H.

Harold Hodgson

R.G.W.

Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr.

Chairman

REPORT OF THE RECORDER

156th Annual Meeting
 Boston Commandery, K.T.
 Wednesday, Sept. 18/57

Membership:

As reported Sept. 1/56	1230
Knighted during year (Schedule A)	50
Reinstated (Schedule B)	4
Affiliated (Schedule C)	<u>3</u>
	1287

Deductions:

Deaths reported (Schedule D)	35
Dimits (Schedule E)	22
Suspended (Schedule F)	<u>21</u>
	78

Membership as of Sept. 1/57	1209	Net Loss	21
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It may be noted for the record that the net loss of 21 compares with a net gain of 2 one year ago. Our net loss last year was the first net loss in Boston Commandery membership in 13 years. Granted that deaths reported this past year numbered 35 as against 18 reported a year ago, and dimits were 22 in number as against 9, and suspensions numbered 21 as against 8, the fact remains that if current trends continue, our Commandery now requires some 70 candidates each year to balance inevitable losses. We now have 11 applications pending (Schedule G)

Financial:

Unpaid dues as of Sept. 1/57: 84 Sir Knights owed \$1008
 This compares favorably with

Sept. 1/56 when	105 Sir Knights owed	1473
Sept. 1/55 when	97 Sir Knights owed	1585

Delinquents as of Sept. 2/57 appear in Schedule H		
Dues collected:	1957 and prior dues	11,624
	Advance dues for 1958	17
	Total	<u>11,641</u>

Affiliation Fees	\$30
Reinstatements	50
For the Orders: Advance for 1958	\$50
Current year	<u>2350.</u> 2100
Legacy from Sir Kt. Walter Winchester	3000
Grand Commandery Ball	18
Received from sale Pops tickets	220
Dinners	1734
Life memberships	<u>2850</u>
Total	10302
Total received	\$21943

Schedule A

Knighted

1. Ernest E. Lindberg Box A, Humarock, Mass. Born 1/8/1895
Norfolk Lodge, Winthrop Chapter
Elected April 18, 1955
Red Cross & Malta Nov. 21, 1956
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
2. Harold A. Congdon Jr. 18 Allen St., Boston. Born
Harmony Lodge, St. Andrews Chap.
Elected April 18, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Nov. 21, 1956
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
3. George F. Gilch Jr. 107 Norwich Circle, West Medford
Born May 16, 1920
Sagamore Lodge, Cambridge Chap.
Elected Oct. 17, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Nov. 21, 1956
Knighted Nov. 26, 1957 in Beauseant
Commandery
4. Charles A. Moore 501 Boylston St., Boston.
Born Feb. 13, 1918
Golden Rule Lodge, St. Andrews Chap.
Elected Oct. 17, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Nov. 21, 1956
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
5. William L. Nelson Crawford Rd., Burlington
Born Dec. 17, 1916
S.W. Robinson Lodge, Woburn Chap.
Elected Oct. 17, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Nov. 21, 1956
Knighted Jan 16, 1957 in Coeur de
Lion Commandery
6. John W. Berquist 2 Concord Rd., Bedford, Mass.
Hiram Lodge, Menotomy Chapter
Born
Elected Oct. 17, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Nov. 21, 1956
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
7. Lloyd E. Allen 168 Mt. Vernon St., Arlington.
Born Jan. 25, 1894
Russell Lodge, Menotomy Chapter
Elected Oct. 17, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Nov. 21, 1956
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957

8. Louis S. Martone 44 Marathon St., Arlington
Born June 11, 1931
Hiram Lodge, Menotomy Chapter
Elected Oct. 17, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Nov. 21, 1956
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
9. Harry P. Northway Jr. 18 Vincent Ave., Belmont
Born Dec. 4, 1926
Belmont Lodge, Menotomy Chapter
Elected Nov. 21, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Nov. 21, 1956
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
10. Laurence H. Sparks 321 Park Ave., Arlington
Born Jan. 6, 1914
Victory Lodge, Watertown Chapter
Elected Nov. 21, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Nov. 21, 1956
Knighted Jan. 15, 1957 Coeur de
Lion Commandery
11. Gustaf R. Anderson 11 Chancery Court, Lynn
Born June 7, 1889
St. John's Lodge, St. Andrews Chap.
Elected Dec. 19, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Jan. 16, 1957
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
12. George H. Nelson 1 Tucker St., Milton
Born Feb. 24, 1899
Milton Lodge, St. Andrews Chapter
Elected Dec. 19, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Jan. 16, 1957
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
13. Christopher J. Soris 351 Mass. Ave., Cambridge
Born June 26, 1914
Amicable Lodge, St. Paul's Chapter
Elected Dec. 19, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Jan. 16, 1957
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
14. Richard J. Tabeling 78 Davis Rd., Belmont
Born Oct. 17, 1899
Beaver Lodge, St. Paul's Chapter
Elected Dec. 19, 1956
Red Cross & Malta Jan. 16, 1957
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
15. Cornelius J. Robinson 78 Tilden Rd., Scituate
Born April 18, 1912
Satuit Lodge, St. Andrews Chapter
Elected Dec. 19, 1956
Red Cross & Malta April 17, 1957
Knighted May 15, 1957

16. Otto K. Kunath 12 Lindbergh Ave., Needham Hts.
Born July 26, 1902
Zetland Lodge, St. Andrews Chap.
Elected Jan. 16, 1957
Red Cross & Malta Jan 16, 1957
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
17. Theron L. Beattie 194 Sherman Rd., Chestnut Hill, Mass.
Born April 16, 1904
Capitol Lodge #66 of Lansing Mich.
St. Andrews Chapter
Elected Jan. 16, 1957
Red Cross & Malta Jan. 16, 1957
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
18. Richard H. Davis 7 Lawrence St., Boston
Born March 28, 1930
St. John's Lodge, St. Andrews Chap.
Elected Jan. 16, 1957
Red Cross & Malta Jan. 16, 1957
Knighted March 18, 1957 St. Omer
Commandery
19. Gregory Najarian 31 Amsden St., Arlington
Born Jan. 17, 1929
William Parkman Lodge, Winchester
Elected Jan. 16, 1957 (Chapter
Red Cross & Malta Jan. 16, 1957
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
20. Raymond P. Conley 26 Irwin Ave., Roxbury
Born Oct. 10, 1901
Joseph Warren Lodge, St. Andrews
Elected Jan. 16, 1957 (Chap.
Red Cross & Malta Jan. 16, 1957
Knighted Feb. 20, 1957
21. Frederick S. Robertson Jr 31 Wellington Rd., Medford
Born Jan 31, 1931
Washington Lodge, St. Andrews Chap.
Elected Jan. 16, 1957
Red Cross in Gethsemane Cmdry.
March 16, 1957, Malta in Hugh de
Payens Cmdry. March 16, 1957
Knighted March 18, 1957 in St. Omer
Commandery
22. Elmer E. Chase 208 Beal Rd., Waltham
Born July 11, 1913
Joseph Webb Lodge, St. Paul's Chap.
Elected Jan. 16, 1957
Red Cross in Gethsemane Cmdry.
March 16, 1957, Malta in Hugh de
Payens Cmdry March 16, 1957
Knighted March 18, 1957 in St. Omer
Commandery

23. Claude M. Sweet 3 Tanager St., Arlington
Born Feb. 22, 1898
King Solomon's Temple Lodge
Menotomy Chapter
Elected Feb. 20, 1957
Red Cross in Gethsemane Cmdry.
March 16, 1957 Malta in Hugh de
Payens Cmdry., March 16, 1957
Knighted March 18, 1957 in St. Omer
Commandery
24. William H. Brock 51 Hopkins St., Wakefield
Born Dec. 17, 1927
Wyoming Lodge, St. Paul's Chap.
Elected Feb. 20, 1957 Red Cross in
Gethsemane Commandery March 16/57
Malta in Hugh de Payens Cmdry.
March 16, 1957
Knighted March 18, 1957 in St.
Omer Commandery
25. Edward P. Brock Jr. 180 Bellevue Ave., Melrose
Born Oct. 14, 1925
Wyoming Lodge, St. Paul's Chap.
Elected Feb. 20, 1957
Red Cross in Gethsemane Cmdry.
March 16, 1957 Malta in Hugh de
Payens Cmdry. March 16, 1957
Knighted March 18, 1957 in St. Omer
Commandery
26. Richard D. Chausse 487 La Grange St., West Roxbury
Born June 20, 1916
Prospect Lodge, Roslindale Chap.
Elected Feb. 20, 1957 Red Cross
in Gethsemane Cmdry March 16, 1957
Malta in Hugh de Payens Cmdry.
March 16, 1957. Knighted March 18/57
St. Omer Commandery
27. Carl B. Turner 24 Morton St., Wellesley
Born Jan. 22, 1907
Wellesley Lodge, St. Paul's Chap.
Elected Feb. 20, 1957. Red Cross &
Malta April 17, 1957
Knighted May 15, 1957
28. Charles S. Christopher 51 Walcott Rd., Brookline
Born Dec. 10, 1929
Loyalty Lodge St. Andrews Chap
Elected Feb. 20, 1957 Red Cross &
Malta April 17, 1957
Knighted May 15, 1957

29. Charles E. Jiaras 85 Rockview St., Jamaica Pl
Born July 14, 1925
Loyalty Lodge, St. Andrews Chap.
Elected Feb. 20/57 Red Cross &
Malta April 17/57
Knighted May 15, 1957
30. George G. Mirageas 94 Perkins St., Jamaica Pl
Born July 19, 1957
Loyalty Lodge, St. Andrews Chap.
Elected Feb. 20/57 Red Cross &
Malta April 17/57
Knighted May 15/57
31. Christie P. Perdikes 17 Vancouver St., Boston
Born Nov. 22, 1926
Boston Univ. Lodge, St. Andrews
Chap. Elected Feb. 20/57 Red Cross
and Malta April 17/57
Knighted May 15, 1957
32. Theodore S. Bakas 149 Hillside St., Boston
Born April 11, 1928. Hesperia Lodge
St. Andrews Chap. Elected 2/20/57
Red Cross & Malta April 17/57
Knighted May 15/57
33. David H. Buttrick Jr. 5 Emerson Rd., Winchester
Born May 25/1926. Hiram Ledge &
Menotomy Chap. Elected 2/20/57
Red Cross & Malta April 17/57
Knighted May 15/57
34. Henry O. Lance 159 George St., Arlington
Born August 13, 1907. Russell Lodge
Menotomy Chap. Elected 2/20/57
Red Cross & Malta April 17, 1957
Knighted May 15, 1957
35. Donald H. Wentworth 86 Tufts St., Arlington
Born July 17, 1915. Spicket Lodge
Menotomy Chap. Elected 2/20/57
Red Cross & Malta 4/17/57
Knighted May 15, 1957
36. Joseph Eagleston 154 North Street, Stoneham
Born May 6, 1911. Russell Lodge,
Menotomy Chap. Elected 2/20/57
Red Cross & Malta 4/17/57
Knighted May 15, 1957
37. Charles W. Linscott 51 Lindenwood Rd., Stoneham
Born June 9/1917. Good Samaritan
Lodge, St. Andrews Chap. Elected
Feb. 20/57. Red Cross & Malta
April 17/57. Knighted May 15/57

38. Peter Agris 46 Prince St., Cambridge
Born June 9, 1917. Good Samaritan Lodge, St. Andrews Chap.
Elected Feb. 20/57. Red Cross & Malta April 17/57
Knighted May 27, 1957 De Molay
39. Donald S. Amsbary 15 Horman Rd., Belmont
Born June 15, 1923. Belmont Lodge Belmont Chap. Elected April 17/57
Red Cross & Malta April 17/57
Knighted May 15, 1957
40. Russell D. Wass Jr. 91 Westminster Rd., Arlington
Born Oct. 19, 1928. Belmont Lodge Belmont Chap. Elected April 17/57
Red Cross & Malta April 17/57
Knighted May 15, 1957
41. Horace G. Stewart 30 Ashfield St., Roslindale
Born Oct. 10, 1897 Eliot Lodge St. Andrews Chap. Elected 4/17/57
Red Cross & Malta April 17, 1957
Knighted May 15, 1957
42. Ralph C. Olson 30 Ashfield St., Roslindale
Born Oct. 27, 1921. Eliot Lodge St. Andrews Chap. Elected 4/17/57
Red Cross & Malta April 17/57
Knighted May 15, 1957
43. John W. Crosby 15 Hilltop Drive, Bedford
Born May 8, 1917. Cuyuna Lodge Montgomery Chap. #22 of Alabama
Elected April 17/57. Red Cross & Malta April 17/57. Knighted 5/15/57
44. Howard L. MacOdrum 59 Redgate Rd., West Roxbury
Born Jan 26, 1926. Zetland Lodge St. Andrews Chap. Elected 4/17/57
Red Cross & Malta April 17/57
Knighted May 15, 1957
45. Arthur H. Staffon 185 Spring St., Arlington
Born Sept. 12, 1910. Russell Lodge Menotomy Chap. Elected 4/17/57
Red Cross & Malta April 17/57
Knighted May 15, 1957
46. Ralph E. Diamond Hotel Bellevue, 21 Beacon St. Bos.
Born
Star of Bethlehem Lodge, St. Andrews Chap. Elected 4/17/57
Red Cross & Malta 5/22/57 by De Molay Cmdry. Knighted 5/27/57 in De Molay Cmdry.

47. Harold F. Miles

30 Sheffield Rd., Wakefield
Born Feb. 14, 1891. King Solomon
Lodge, St. Paul's Chapter
Elected April 17/1957. Red Cross &
Malta May 22/57 by De Molay Cmdry.
Knighted May 27/57 in De Molay Cmdry

48. James G. Kacavas

643 Huntington Ave., Boston
Born Sept. 19/1927 Joseph Webb
Lodge St. Paul's Chap. Elected
May 15/57 Red Cross & Malta May
22/57 by De Molay Cmdry. Knighted
May 27/57 by De Molay Cmdry.

49. Hazen T. Lambert

6 Bulfinch St., Boston
Born Nov. 27, 1909
Mt. Lebanon Lodge, St. Andrews Chap
Elected May 15/57 Red Cross & Malta
May 22, 1957 by De Molay Cmdry.
Knighted May 27/57 in De Molay Cmdry

50. Gibbs W. Sherrill

97 West St., Beverly Farms, Mass.
Born March 25, 1908 Major Gen.
Henry Knox Lodge, St. Paul's Chap
Elected May 15/57. Red Cross &
Malta May 22/57 by De Molay Cmdry.
Knighted May 27/57 in De Molay
Commandery

SCHEDULE B

Reinstatements

1. James M. Park Jr.

West Scarboro, Maine. Born
Hammatt Lodge, St. John's Chap.
Reinstated Boston Cmdry Oct 17/56

2. George E. Saunders

Boston Born 5/28/1905
Theodore Roosevelt Lodge, St. Paul's
Chap. Reinstated Boston Cmdry Oct.
17/1956

3. Carl F. Carlson

Watertown Born 1/15/1873
St. John's Lodge, St. Paul's Chap.
Reinstated Boston Cmdry. 12/19/1956

4. Earl C. Palmer

Boston Born 10/30/1901
R. C. MacLaurin Lodge, North Hudson
Chap. #59 of N.J. Reinstated
Boston Cmdry. May 15/1957

SCHEDULE C

Affiliations

1. Samuel T. Tisdale Greenfield. Born Oct. 7, 1912
Republican Lodge, St. Mark's Chap.
Affiliated Boston Cmdry from
Bristol Cmdry Dec 19/56
2. Farris A. Cassis 25 North Beacon St. Allston
Born Nov 15, 1899. Ebenezer Fuller
Lodge, St. Paul's Chap.
Affiliated Boston Cmdry from
Cambridge Cmdry. Feb. 20, 1957
3. Leonard A. Thrall 68 Marlborough St., Boston
Born Jan. 22, 1905 Lake View Lodge
#143 of Minnesota, Etonka Chap.
#64 of Minn. Affiliated Boston
Cmdry from Bethel Cmdry #19 of
Morris, Minn. June 19, 1957

SCHEDULE D

Deaths

1. Stewart P. Dunham, West Newton
Born Oct. 6, 1900 Life member
Member of St. John's Lodge & St. Andrews Chapter
Knighted June 15, 1927
Died May 10, 1955
2. George R. Norcross, of Dorchester
Born April 3, 1874. Life member
Member of Putnam Lodge & St. Paul's Chapter
Knighted May 11, 1909
Died August 17, 1955
3. A. Oram Fulton, 1 Louisberg Sq., Boston.
Born Sept. 3, 1885
Member of Fraternal Lodge, & Orient Chapter
Knighted Nov. 16, 1909
Died Feb. 20, 1956
4. George N. Stevens, 59 Walker St., Somerville
Born Jan. 19, 1894
Member John Abbot Lodge, Somerville Chapter
Knighted March 21, 1923
Died April 4, 1956
5. William T. Kinney, 23 Taft Ave., Winthrop
Born Sept. 14, 1913
Member of Peace & Concord Lodge #445, Grand Lodge of Scotland,
Callao, Peru, and Peace Universal Chapter, Grand
R.A. Chapter of Scotland, Callao, Peru.
Knighted Winthrop Cmdry Dec. 5, 1950; Member Boston Cmdry
by Consolidation Feb. 20, 1952
Died April 21, 1956

6. Sidney F. Day, 314 Sumner St., East Boston
Born Dec. 27, 1882
Member Hammatt Lodge & St. John's Chapter
Knighted April 25, 1922
Died May 17, 1956
7. Edward C. Marchant, Arlington
Born March 28, 1903
Member Hiram Lodge & Menotomy Chapter
Knighted in Reading Cmdry Jan. 27/1948; affiliated Bos-
ton Cmdry June 20, 1951
Died June 21, 1956
8. Louis V. Joyce, 11A Lakeview Rd., Winchester
Born June 7, 1879
Member John Abbot Lodge & Somerville Chapter
Knighted May 17, 1922
Died July 23, 1956
9. William W. Cummings, 43 Cushing Ave., Belmont
Born July 20, 1884
Member of Wollaston Lodge & St. Stephens Chapter
Knighted March 18, 1931
Died August 1, 1956
10. Ralph H. Lindsay, 250 Beacon St., Boston
Born April 29, 1899. Life member
Member St. John's Lodge & St. Andrews Chapter
Knighted June 20, 1951
Died May 21, 1956
11. Jesse E. Ames, Boston
Born Feb. 28, 1867. Life member
Member of Columbian Lodge & St. Andrews Chap.
Knighted April 15, 1896
Died August 12, 1956
12. Payson C. Francis, Ludlow, Vermont
Born Dec. 29, 1898
Member Winslow Lewis Lodge & Amity Chap #160 of N.Y.
Knighted Nov. 19, 1924
Died Nov. 19, 1956
13. James Davis, 96 Bank St., Fall River
Born Oct. 28, 1880
Member Belcher Lodge & Unity Chapter
Knighted June 16, 1920
Died Dec. 10, 1956
14. Arthur E. Dorr, 290 Beacon St., Boston
Born Oct. 6, 1871
Member Massachusetts Lodge & St. Paul's Chapter
Knighted June 21, 1922
Died Dec. 17, 1956

15. Charles F. Stoodley, Malden
Born May 13, 1870. Life member
Member St. John's Lodge & Dorchester Chapter
Knighted Dec. 6, 1908
Died Dec. 24, 1956
16. George A. Surabian, Malden
Born Jan. 10, 1906
Member Columbian Lodge & Mystic Chapter
Knighted May 18, 1949
Died Jan. 2, 1957
17. Roland Huxley, Boston
Born Nov. 4, 1882. Life member
Member Zetland Lodge, St. Andrews Chapter
Knighted Oct. 19, 1927
Died Jan. 4, 1957
18. Arthur D. Simonds, Malden
Born Sept. 23, 1872
Member Baelbec Lodge & St. John's Chapter
Knighted Feb. 8, 1923
19. Leon L. Aznive, Stoneham
Born August 7, 1895. Life member
Member Zetland Lodge & Dorchester Chapter
Knighted Jan. 17, 1923
Died Feb. 17, 1957
20. Samuel L. Dillaway, Somerville
Born Dec. 16, 1872
Member Soley Lodge & Somerville Chapter
Knighted May 16, 1923
Died Feb. 26, 1957
21. Andrew Kennedy, Hartsdale, N. Y.
Born Jan. 20, 1894
Member Union Lodge & Dorchester Chapter
Knighted March 21, 1917
Died March 25, 1957
22. Frank A. Lincoln, Wollaston
Born Oct. 25, 1875
Member Wollaston Lodge & Mt. Wollaston Chapter
Knighted June 15, 1931
Died March 30, 1957
23. George W. Harvey, Wellesley Hills
Born June 15, 1867. Life member
Member St. John's Lodge & St. Andrews Chapter
Knighted Sept. 17, 1897
Died April 14, 1957

24. Frank W. F. Senkel, Milton
Born April , 1904
Member Joseph Webb Lodge & St. Paul's Chapter
Knighted Jan. 16, 1946
Died April 27, 1957
25. George E. Manser, of Hialeah, Florida
Born Oct. 3, 1907
Member of Mt. Hermon Lodge & Mystic Chapter
Knighted Jan 21, 1948
Died August 3, 1956
26. Andrew T. Lindquist, West Quincy
Born October 2, 1896
Member Milton Lodge & St. Paul's Chapter
Knighted May 1, 1950
Died Dec. 14, 1956
27. Charles V. S. Weir, South Weymouth
Born Oct. 3, 1907
Member Atlantic Lodge & St. Andrews Chapter
Knighted June 15, 1949
Died July 6, 1957
28. Matthias B. T. Royle, Rockport
Born May 10, 1872
Member St. John's Lodge, Winthrop Chapter
Knighted Nov. 15, 1944
29. Leon C. Roberts, Dallas, Texas
Born Jan. 12, 1895
Member Tranquil Lodge #29 of Maine & St. Andrews Chap.
Knighted June 19, 1929
Died July 31, 1957
30. Gibbs W. Sherrill, Beverly Farms
Born March 25, 1908
Member Major Gen. Henry Knox Lodge & St. Paul's Chap.
Knighted May 27, 1957
Died July 27, 1957
31. Barnard H. Marshall, Brighton
Born Nov. 10, 1879
Member Zetland Lodge & St. Andrews Chapter
Died August 16, 1957
32. Ethan Allen Stuart, Hanson
Born July 14, 1903
Member Wollaston & Fidelity Lodge & St. Paul's Chap.
Knighted Jan 19, 1949
Died January 19, 1957

33. Willis M. Arnold, of Waban
Born Oct. 2, 1890
Member St. John's Lodge & St. Andrews Chapter
Knighted Feb. 17, 1954
Died June 23, 1957
34. Clifford Elliott, of Belmont
Born
Member of Beaver Lodge & Belmont Chapter
Died August 8, 1957
35. Reginald F. W. Tranter, of Wellesley Hills
Member Wellesley Lodge & Mt. Lebanon Chapter
Knighted Jan. 19, 1949
Died July 22, 1957

SCHEDULE E

Dimits

1. John I. Mull
2. Dr. Earl Scamon
3. Ralph C. Ward
4. Arthur C. Totman
5. Richard H. Bateman
6. William V. Young
7. Walter L. Wilson
8. Carl F. Carlson
9. Roy L. Westcott
10. Hector M. MacDonald
11. Harold R. Bates
12. Ralph S. Floyd
13. George A. Smith
14. Philip M. York
15. Clarence A. Poole
16. Richard M. Hill
17. Clarence W. Wallace
18. Malcolm MacLeod
19. Charles H. Seavey
20. Edward A. Herland
21. William V. Taintor
22. Leslie McNally

SCHEDULE F

Suspended (Non Payment of Dues)

1. Albert G. Hayden.	Suspended Mt. Hollis Lodge 10/18/55
2. Henry A.W. Thompson	Suspended by Revere Lodge 10/4/55
3. Kwock Tim Yee	N. P. D.
4. James M. Park Jr.	N. P. D.
5. Carl F. Carlson	N. P. D.
6. George E. Saunders	N. P. D.
7. Henry R. Fickbohm	N. P. D.
8. Samuel E. Gazan Jr.	N. P. D.
9. Lester W. Linsz	N. P. D.
10. Karl G. Magnuson	N. P. D.
11. Harrington B. Wyand	N. P. D.
12. Newton C. Browder	N. P. D.
13. Orville G. Brandon	Suspended by Tabernacle Chap 8/31/56
14. Touffee E. Sabby	Suspended by W. Rox. Lodge 6/15/56
15. Byron J. Zedros	Suspended by B. U. Lodge 6/22/56
16. Oscar Smith Jr.	Suspended by Belmont Chap 2/14/57
17. Edward J. Farow	Suspended by Winthrop Chap 11/22/56
18. Lucyan Lada	N. P. D.
19. George J. Tallas	N. P. D.
20. Irving Rohrbacker	N. P. D.
21. George Muir 2nd	N. P. D.

SCHEDULE G

Pending

1. <u>Paul T. Souliotis</u>	693 Center St. Newton Born 1/6/1913 Amicable Lodge, St. Paul's Chap Elected April 21, 1954
2. <u>Francis D. Hatch</u>	319 Central St. Saugus Born 9/27/1899 William Sutton Lodge H G Mills Chap Elected June 16, 1954
3. <u>Brenton W. Millbury</u>	85 Herman St., Winthrop Born 8/11/1901 Winthrop Lodge St. Andrews Chap Elected April 20, 1955
4. <u>John N. Harris</u>	26 Oakhurst St. Scituate Born 4/26/1927 Harmony Lodge St. Andrews Chap. Elected Jan. 16, 1957
5. <u>Alfred G. Swide</u>	30 Whitford St. Roslindale Born April 14, 1902 Mount Tabor Lodge & St Andrews Chap Elected April 17, 1957

6. Harold A. Horn 46 Central Ave. Newtonville
Born 8/9/1899
Dalhousie Lodge & St Andrews Chap
Elected May 15, 1957
7. Wilfred R. Howarth 10 Potomac St. West Roxbury
Born 10/9/1907
Joseph Webb Lodge & St. Paul's Chap
Elected May 15, 1957
8. Nelson E. Bragg 31 Chester St. Arlington
Born 3/7/1918
The Massachusetts Lodge & Reading
Chapter
Elected June 19, 1957
9. George R. Pandy 25 Shaw Rd. Belmont
Born 6/19/1934
Aberdour Lodge & St. Paul's Chap.
Elected June 19, 1957
10. George L. Jakimedes 23 Mather St. Dorchester
Born 10/23/1913
Bethesda Lodge & St. Paul's Chap.
Elected June 19, 1957
11. Hovnam Keumurian 75 Norfolk St. Cambridge
Born 9/25/1930
Bethesda Lodge & St. Paul's Chap
Elected June 19, 1957

SCHEDULE H

Outstanding Dues as of Sept. 1, 1957

Peter Agris	\$ 6	John A. Lutes	21
Leonard C. Atkinson	11	William T. MacDonald	21
Francis C. Bell	11	Howard L. MacOdrum Jr.	6
Arthur E. Blakeney	11	Andrew A. Magnus	11
Darwin J. Bone	21	George E. Manser	11
Chester A. Brigham	1	Ralph A. Maxfield	1
William H. Brock	6	George L. Maynard	11
Gordon W. Burrell	11	Archie M. McKettrick	11
Louis J. Callas	21	George G. Mirageos	6
Rev. Russell E. Camp	11	James G. A. Mitchell	21
Raymond B. Chadbourne	1	William H. Mumler Jr.	21
Arthur B. Colgate	21	Peter Nicholson	21
Ardash M. Comjean	21	Edward A. Nicolson	11
Edward J. Conley	11	Frederick L. Nobles	11
William L. Creech	11	George H. Nutting	1
Carl B. Crisp	11	Henry W. Palmer	21
Charles S. Christopher	6	Christie P. Perdikes	6
John W. Crosby	6	Courtland B. Pierce Sr.	11
Arthur H. Curtis Jr.	11	William E. Putnam	11
William J. Davidson	11	Edward E. Ransom	11
Ralph Diamond	6	Howard S. Reynolds	11
William L. Dobbs	11	Richard I. Robinson	11
Anthony J. Farin	11	George E. Saunders	11
Earl A. Fitzgerald	11	Francis Shaw M.D.	21
Douglas Fullerton	11	Arthur H. Staffon	6
Charles E. Giles	1	Denis Stamatatos	11
F. Morrison Gilliland	11	Jacob Stark	11
Theophilus J. Gomatos	21	Elias Stephens	21
Guy B. Gove	11	Edward J. Stickels	11
Earl R. Grant	11	George N. Stoddart	11
Robert H. Haselton	21	Irwin V. Stuart	20
Francis R. Heiligmann	11	Douglas W. Sylvia	11
Oscar F. Jacobson	21	Harry C. Tragakis	16
Carl Johnson	11	James Tragakis	16
Ralph D. Joslins	21	Reginald F.W. Trainter	11
James G. Kacavas	6	Carl B. Turner	6
Frank C. Kenney	21	Jerrol V. Vickerson	11
George E. Kent	21	Arthur Waddington	11
Oscar W. Kievenaars	11	Donald H. Wentworth	6
Anthony J. Koshivos	11	Marvin L. Westenberg	11
Constantine Kestas	21	Harry E. Wright	1
Hazen T. Lambert	6	Fred H. Young	11

6 @ \$1	= 6
13 @ 6	= 78
43 @ 11	= 473
2 @ 16	= 32
1 @ 20	= 20
19 @ 21	= 399

Compared with 9/1/55: 97 owing \$1585
9/1/56: 105 owing 1473

Stated Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar was held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, at 51 Boylston Street, on Wednesday October 16, 1957, the Commandery being opened by the Eminent Commander at 5.50 P.M.

Following the customary devotions, the minutes of our 156th Annual Conclave, held on Wednesday September 18, 1957, were read and approved.

The necessary Dispensation having been received, the Commandery voted on the application of four Companions in addition to names carried on the notice. The following were elected to receive the orders:

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| 1. Walter Bieren | 6. Charles E. Kierstead Jr. |
| 2. Norton W. Cann | 7. Herbert A. Larson |
| 3. Merwin E. Chandler | 8. Horace A. Lyman |
| 4. Stoddard E. Chaplin | 9. Donald Youmans Mc Coy |
| 5. Robert Gagosian | 10. Raymond L. Morrison |
| 11. Eric F. Smith | |

On motion duly made it was voted that the elected officers, and such other Sir Knights as may be appointed by the Eminent Commander, are authorized and directed to make such changes in the Armory as may be desirable.

The Commander then opened a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, after which the Sir Knights recessed at 6.20 P.M. for dinner and entertainment, with 13 $\frac{1}{4}$ present.

On return to the asylum the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was conferred in full form, under the direction of Em. Sir James C. Bayley and Sir Kt. Howard L. Mac Odrum, on the following:

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| 1. Walter Bieren | 5. Robert Gagosian |
| 2. Merwin E. Chandler | 6. Charles E. Kierstead Jr. |
| 3. Stoddard E. Chaplin | 7. Hovnam Keumurian |
| 4. Donald B. Drew | 8. George R. Pandy |
| 9. Albert G. Swide | |

A Priory being thereafter opened, the Order of Malta was conferred on the above nine, under the direction of Sir Kt. George Locus, our Generalissimo.

Attendance: 136

John Gardner Winsor
Recorder

Stated Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar was held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, at 51 Boylston Street, on Wednesday November 20, 1957, the Commandery being opened promptly by the Eminent Commander at 5 P. M.

Following the customary devotions reading of the minutes of the Conclave of October 16 was postponed until the next Conclave.

Report was made that with the assistance of Em. Sirs James C. Bayley and Robert G. Wilson Jr. assisted by Sir Knight Robert S. Andrews our Senior Warden, and Sir Knights Leo S. Hibbard, Harold F. W. Hodgson, Clyde A. Tyler, and George A. Spargo of the Guards, the following received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and the Order of Malta at Conclave of De Molay Commandery held on Wednesday Nov. 13th, 1957:

Harold Arthur Horn	Eric F. Smith
Raymond L. Morrison	Herbert A. Larson
Horace A. Lyman	Donald Y. Mc Coy

It was further reported that all of the above, except Sir Knights Harold A. Horn and Eric F. Smith thereupon received the Order of the Temple on said date in said Commandery.

The Recorder read the following applications:

George T. Nutting of St. Paul's Chap. sponsored by Sir Kt. A. R. Nickerson
Sherman Davison of Menotomy Chap. sponsored by Sir Kt. E. H. Casey
Peter W. Tsacoyeanes of St. Paul's Chap. sponsored by Sir Kt. A. E. Sideropoulos

Business being suspended the Commandery, under the direction of our Eminent Commander, opened the work of the Order of the Temple, with the following candidates present:

Albert G. Swide	Eric F. Smith
Harold A. Horn	Walter Bieren
George R. Pandy	Merwin E. Chandler
Hovnan Keumurian	Stoddard E. Chaplin
Donald B. Drew	Charles E. Kierstead Jr.
V. Robert Gagosian	

At 6.30 P.M., a recess being declared by the Eminent Commander, the Sir Knights repaired to the banquet hall for dinner and entertainment.

Work being resumed in the asylum the eleven candidates above named duly received the Order of the Temple.

After customary devotions, the Commandery was duly closed.

Attendance: 171

*Rhett Gardner Wilson
Recorder*

Stated Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar was held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston on Wednesday, Dec. 18, 1957, the Commandery being opened promptly by Eminent Sir Charles D. Harrington at 5.45 P. M.

Following the customary devotions, the minutes of our Oct. 16, 1957 and Nov. 20, 1957 conclaves were read and approved

The Recorder reported 21 deaths since June 30, 1957 the most recent being that of Sir Knight Ernest M. Hodgdon of Arlington on Dec. 16, 1957.

The following four applications to receive the Orders were read:

A. Elliott Thompson of St. Paul's Chapter sponsored by Rt.
Em. Sir R. G. Wilson Jr.

Uno Jacob Harta of Menotomy Chapter sponsored by Sir Kt.
E. H. Casey

Arthur Bertram Bell of St. Andrews Chapter sponsored by
Sir Kt. G. S. Palmer

Adio di Biccari of St. Andrews Chapter sponsored by Sir Kt.
G. S. Palmer.

Ballot was then had on the following three applications earlier reported, and the ballot was clear:

George T. Nutting of St. Paul's Chapter

Sherman Davison of Menotomy Chapter

Peter William Tsacoyeanes of St. Paul's Chapter

On motion of Em. Sir Frank B. Ells it was voted to designate our Stated Conclave on Feb. 19, 1958 as Edgar L. Turner Night in recognition of the expected election of our distinguished Sir Knight as the new Illustrious Potentate of Aleppo Temple of the Shrine. Rt. Em. Sir R. G. Wilson Jr. was named by the Eminent Commander as Chairman of a suitable committee to make arrangements and to procure a gift from Boston Commandery. Suggested as members of the Committee were Eminent Sirs Frank B. Ells, Herman C. McStay, James C. Bayley, Sir Knights Odell, Sagle, Duncan, Leggee, and other Nobles of Aleppo Temple holding membership in Boston Commandery.

Attention was also directed to the fact that our Commandery had likewise been honored recently by the election of Sir Kt. Eugene P. Carver as Most Excellent High Priest of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Massachusetts, as well as his appointment of Eminent Sir John Reid as Grand Captain of the Host of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter.

inspection date was announced as scheduled for March 19, 1958, and the Eminent Commander announced that a York Rite Night would be sponsored by Boston Commandery in April.

There being no further business the Eminent Commander closed the Commandery after suitable devotions, and the Sir Knights repaired to the Banquet Hall for our annual Christmas Party with dinner by Seiler, an excellent entertainment, and distribution of gifts by Sir Knight Santa Claus Roger H. Potter Jr.

Attendance: 157

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